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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

8 A.B., by and through her next friend CASSIE
CORDELL TRUEBLOOD, *et al.*,

9 Plaintiffs,

10 v.

11 WASHINGTON STATE DEPARTMENT OF
12 SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES, *et al.*,

13 Defendants.

No. 14-cv-01178-MJP

**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED
MOTION TO APPROVE
FACILITATOR**

14 This matter comes before the Court upon the Parties' Stipulated Motion to Approve
15 Technical Assistance Collaborative (TAC) as Facilitator during the settlement negotiation
16 process. Having considered the pleadings in the court file and otherwise being fully informed,
17 the court hereby finds and orders as follows:

18 THE COURT FINDS that Technical Assistance Collaborative is an appropriate candidate
19 to serve in the role of Facilitator, as outlined in §5(f) of the Second Revised Agreement
20 Resolving Plaintiff's Pending Motions and Establishing a Settlement Negotiation Process.

21 THE COURT FURTHER FINDS that the cost estimates provided by TAC are reasonable
22 given the proposed scope of work.

23 THE COURT HEREBY APPROVES TAC to serve in the role of facilitator.

1 Dated this _16th_ day of __March__, 2018.

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5 Marsha J. Pechman
6 United States District Judge

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